United States District Court Southern District of Texas

## **ENTERED**

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

September 20, 2021 Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

PATRICK HENRY MURPHY,	§
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Plaintiff,	§
VS.	§ CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:19-CV-1106
	§
TDCJ EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,	§
BRYAN COLLIER, et al.,	§
	§

Defendants.

## **ORDER**

Defendants have filed an unopposed motion to stay the deadlines set forth in the scheduling order governing this case. Dkt. 101. The Court **GRANTS** Defendants' motion in light of the pending United States Supreme Court case of *Ramirez v. Collier*, No. 21-5592. All deadlines in this case are stayed.

With the pending Supreme Court proceedings in *Ramirez*, the Court *sua sponte* finds that it would be appropriate to stay this case. This case is **STAYED** and **ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSED**. The Court directs the parties to submit a motion to reopen the case and a new joint proposed scheduling order when appropriate given the proceedings in *Ramirez*.

SIGNED at Houston, Texas, this 20th day of September, 2021.

GEORGE C. HANKS, JR.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE